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Per appeal center notification, dated 3/27/07, "The Examiners Answer dtd 01/26/07 does not contain the printed or typed names of the conferees as required by MPEP 1207." Page 8 is submitted to the appellant, with the printed names of the conferees instead of their initials, to be more clear that an appeal conference was held.

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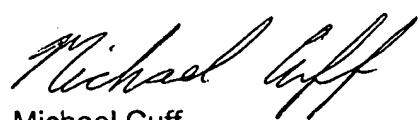
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(11) Related Proceeding(s) Appendix

No decision rendered by a court or the Board is identified by the examiner in the Related Appeals and Interferences section of this examiner's answer.

For the above reasons, it is believed that the rejections should be sustained.

Respectfully submitted,

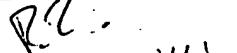


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